## **United States District Court**

for

## **Middle District of Tennessee**

## Superseding Petition for Summons for Offender Under Supervision [Supersedes Petition Filed as Docket Entry No. 91]

Name of Offender: <u>Demetrius T. Jones</u> Case Nur	nber: <u>3:07-00105</u>		
Name of Judicial Officer: The Honorable Aleta A. Trauge	r,U.S. District Judge		
Date of Original Sentence: September 24, 2009			
Original Offense: <u>18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1) and 18 U.S.C. § 9</u>	24 Convicted Felon in Possession of a Firearm		
Original Sentence: 60 months' custody and 3 years' super	vised release		
Type of Supervision: <u>Supervised Release</u> Date Sup	Date Supervision Commenced: September 23, 2011		
Assistant U.S. Attorney: Philip Wehby Defense	Attorney: R. David Baker		
To issue a Summons. To issue a Warrant. X To Consider Additional Alleged Violation			
THE COURT ORDERS:  ☐ No Action ☐ The Issuance of a Warrant: ☐ Sealed Pending Warrant Execution ☐ (cc: U.S. Probation and U.S. Marshal only) ☐ The Issuance of a Summons. ☐ The Consideration of Additional Alleged Violations/In ☐ Other	nformation at hearing an G/25/14 at 10:0	10a	
Considered this Aday of Tome, 2014, and made a part of the records in the above case.	I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Respectfully submitted,  Joshua Smith U.S. Probation Officer		
Ota a. My	Place Nashville, Tennessee		
Aleta A. Trauger U. S. District Judge	Date June 12, 2014		

#### **ALLEGED VIOLATIONS**

The information provided in the previous petition, filed as docket entry No. <u>91</u>, has been amended as follows:

Violation No. 1 - has been amended to include reported illegal drug use

Violation No. 2 - has been amended to include an additional failure to report for drug testing

The probation officer believes that the offender has violated the following condition(s) of supervision:

#### Violation No. Nature of Noncompliance

#### 1. The defendant shall refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance.

Mr. Jones tested positive for cocaine on January 24, 2014. Prior to the drug test on January 24, 2014, he reported to the probation officer that he had been "getting high," by using marijuana but denied cocaine use. The lab results for the drug test were negative for marijuana.

On April 28, 2014, Mr. Jones admitted to taking pain medication a few days prior for his knee pain. The pain medication was prescribed to his sister. Mr. Jones has tested negative for illegal drugs five times since March 19, 2014.

2. The defendant shall participate in a program of drug testing and substance abuse treatment which may include a 30-day inpatient treatment program followed by up to 90 days in a residential reentry center at the direction of the U. S. Probation Office.

Mr. Jones has failed to report for drug testing on three occasions.

November 25, 2013

January 9, 2014

January 21, 2014

Mr. Jones was referred back to substance abuse treatment after testing positive for cocaine in September 2013. He was initially required to attend weekly group substance abuse. He failed to attend treatment for two months. Mr. Jones reported his failure to attend treatment resulted from him babysitting for his sister each week on the day of his treatment meetings. In order to accommodate his schedule, in November 2014, Mr. Jones' treatment was modified to individual substance abuse treatment twice a month. He continued his failure to attend any treatment appointments. The probation officer met with Mr. Jones on December 30, 2013, and scheduled another appointment for him to attend treatment on January 13, 2014. Mr. Jones failed to attend that appointment as well. The probation officer met with Mr. Jones on January 24, 2014. Mr. Jones reported to the probation officer that he is unable to attend substance abuse treatment at this time as transportation arrangements are too difficult, though Mr. Jones regularly arranges transportation in order to report to work.

Mr. Jones failed to report for drug testing on April 15, 2014.

#### Compliance with Supervision Conditions and Prior Interventions:

Mr. Jones began supervision on September 23, 2011. He is scheduled to terminate supervision on September 22, 2014.

A report was submitted to the Court asking for no action on August 16, 2012, informing that Mr. Jones had

been arrested for Unlawful Use of Drug Paraphernalia, Possession or Casual Exchange, and No Driver's License. He was found guilty of Unlawful Use of Drug Paraphernalia and the other charges were dismissed. As a result of the charges, he was referred to Centerstone for a substance abuse assessment. Upon completion of the assessment, substance abuse was recommended. He began substance abuse treatment in October 2012 and successfully completed treatment in June 2013. No action was ordered by the Court at that time.

A report was submitted to the Court asking for no action on November 12, 2013, informing that Mr. Jones tested positive for cocaine and failed to report for drug testing on one occasion. As a result of the positive drug test in September 2013, his drug testing was increased and he was referred back to Centerstone for substance abuse treatment. No action was ordered by the Court at that time.

As noted previously, the probation officer met with Mr. Jones on January 24, 2014, as a result of Mr. Jones missing two drug tests and failing to contact the probation officer for two weeks. Mr. Jones informed that he had a conflict with his sister and her friends that turned physical earlier in the month. He reported that the argument started when his sister failed to transport him to a drug test. He began yelling at her in the presence of her friends. The conflict escalated, and he reportedly was jumped by his sister's friends. He had visible scratches on his face. As a result of the argument, Mr. Jones left the home and stayed with friends in the community. Mr. Jones' sister filed a request for an order of protection against Mr. Jones, but she dropped the charge at the first court date, as they had made amends regarding the conflict. Mr. Jones' sister spoke with the probation officer on January 24, 2014, and expressed her desire for Mr. Jones to continue to reside at her residence. She was asked to contact the probation officer if any further incidences occur or if she is in fear of her safety.

On February 25, 2014, a petition requesting a summons was submitted to inform that Mr. Jones tested positive for illegal drugs, failed to report for drug testing and failed to return to substance abuse treatment. A revocation hearing was held before Your Honor on March 19, 2014, and the hearing was continued for three months to allow Mr. Jones an opportunity to re-establish compliance with substance abuse treatment attendance. As a result of the hearing, Mr. Jones has re-established attendance and compliance with substance abuse treatment.

#### **Update of Offender Characteristics:**

Mr. Jones has been employed at Champion Car Wash since his start on supervised release.

#### **U.S. Probation Officer Recommendation:**

It is respectfully requested that the additional violations/information be considered at the revocation hearing scheduled before Your Honor on June 25, 2014. This matter has been reported to the U.S. Attorney's Office and they concur with the recommendation.

Approved:

Vidette Putman

Supervisory U.S. Probation Officer

# SENTENCING RECOMMENDATION UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE UNITED STATES V. DEMETRIUS T. JONES, CASE NO. 3:07-00105

**GRADE OF VIOLATION:** 

C

**CRIMINAL HISTORY:** 

VI

ORIGINAL OFFENSE DATE:

**POST APRIL 3, 2003** 

**VCCA PROVISIONS** 

Statutory

Guideline

Recommended

**Provisions** 

**Provisions** 

<u>Sentence</u>

CUSTODY:

5 years (Class A felony)

8-14 months

8 months

18 U.S.C. § 3583(e)(3)

U.S.S.G. § 7B1.4(a)

**SUPERVISED** 

5 years less any term

2-5 years

no supervision to follow

RELEASE:

of imprisonment

18 U.S.C. § 3583(h)

Statutory Provisions: Revocation is mandatory if the Court finds the defendant possessed a controlled substance in violation of the condition set forth in subsection (d). 18 U.S.C. § 3583(g)(1). Revocation is mandatory if the defendant refuses to comply with drug testing imposed as a condition of supervised release. 18 U.S.C. § 3583 (g)(4). Revocation is also mandatory if the defendant tests positive for illegal controlled substances more than 3 times over the course of 1 year. 18 U.S.C. § 3583 (g)(4). The court shall consider whether the availability of appropriate substance abuse treatment programs, or an individual's current or past participation in such programs, warrants an exception in accordance with United States Sentencing Commission guidelines from the rule section 3583 (g) when considering any action against a defendant who fails a drug test. 18 U.S.C. § 3583 (d).

Guideline Policy Statements: Upon finding of a Grade C violation, the Court may (A) revoke probation or supervised release; or (B) extend the term of probation or supervised release and/or modify the conditions of supervision.

Respectfully Submitted

Joshua Smith

U. S. Probation Officer

Approved:

Vidette Putman

Supervisory U. S. Probation Officer

### VIOLATION WORKSHEET

	Deficition 1 Jones		
	Docket Number (Year-Sequence-Defendant No.) Select a Docket Number	r	
	District/Office Middle District of Tennessee		
	Original Sentence Date $\frac{09}{month} / \frac{24}{day} / \frac{2009}{year}$		
	Original District/Office(if different than above)		
	Original Docket Number (Year-Sequence-Defendant No.)		
	List each violation and determine the applicable grade (see §7B1.1):		
	Violation(s)		<u>Grade</u>
	positive drug tests		C
	failure to report for drug testing		С
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	Most Serious Grade of Violation (see §7B1.1(b))		C
	Criminal History Category ( <u>see</u> §7B1.4(a))		VI
	Range of Imprisonment (see §7B1.4(a))	8-14	months
	Sentencing Options for Grade B and C Violations Only (Check the approp	priate box)	<b>:</b>
,	(a) If the minimum term of imprisonment determined under §7B1.4 (Term of is at least one month but not more than six months, §7B1.3(c)(1) provides ser to imprisonment.		
	(b) If the minimum term of imprisonment determined under §7B1.4 (Term of is more than six months but not more than ten months, §7B1.3(c)(2) provides options to imprisonment.		
	(c) If the minimum term of imprisonment determined under §7B1.4 (Term of is more than ten months, no sentencing options to imprisonment are available.		ent)

15.

Defendant Demetrius T Jones	
Unsatisfied Conditions of Original Sentence	
List any restitution, fine, community confinement, home detention or intermittent confinement previously imposed in connection with the sentence for which revocation is ordered that remains unpaid or unserved at the time of revocation (see §7B1.3(d)):	
Restitution(\$) Community Confinement	
Fine(\$) Home Detention	
Other special assessment \$100 Intermittent Confinement	
If probation is to be revoked, determine the length, if any, of the term of supervised release according to the provisions of §§5D1.1-1.3 (see §§7B1.3(g)(1)).  Term: 1	
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List aggravating and mitigating factors that may warrant a sentence outside the applicable range of Imprisonment:	
	List any restitution, fine, community confinement, home detention. or intermittent confinement previously imposed in connection with the sentence for which revocation is ordered that remains unpaid or unserved at the time of revocation (see §7B1.3(d)):  Restitution(\$)

Official Detention Adjustment (see §7B1.3(e)): \_\_\_\_\_ days